

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-0903

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April 4, 2019

The Honorable Ajit Pai
Chairman, Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20536

Dear Chairman Pai,

I would like to extend my support for of WCJB TV20's market modification petition to allow local broadcasts from this station to Marion County.

WCJB is a local station that reaches Marion County via cable and over the air antenna. I ask that satellite viewers be given the same opportunity as cable subscribers to access important information provided by our local station. Adding WCJB to the satellite companies will allow Marion County residents to view Live Local community news, weather, sports and Emergency information which is already being reported on by WCJB daily. WCJB is the only broadcast station with a full-service news bureau in Marion County. Unfortunately, satellite viewers living in Marion County cannot receive vital local news and weather updates, and they are forced to rely on these updates from Orlando sources until the WCJB petition is granted.

For these reasons, I ask the Federal Communications Commission work with the parties to grant these petitions. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to reach out my Deputy Chief of Staff, Kat Cammack, at (352) 505-0838 or via email at Kat.Cammack@mail.house.gov. Thank you for your full consideration.

Sincerely,



Ted S. Yoho, DYM
Member of Congress
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May 23, 2019

The Honorable Ted Yoho
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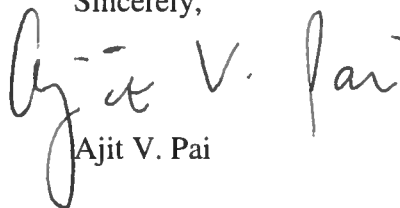
Dear Congressman Yoho:

Thank you for your letter regarding the market modification petition filed by Gray Media Group, Inc., parent company of the licensee of WCJB-TV, Gainesville, Florida. I understand how important local news and information is to American consumers.

The Media Bureau placed Gray's petition on Public Notice on May 7, which establishes a 30-day comment period. Your letter will be made part of the record of the proceeding. I look forward to hearing the Media Bureau's review of the record once the comment period has completed.

Please let me know if I can be of any further assistance.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Ajit V. Pai". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Ajit" being the most prominent part.

Ajit V. Pai